

Buckle Up, Kentucky!



Top 10 Reasons You Ought to Wear One

10. People can't laugh and point at your seat belt dragging along the road outside your car.
9. If you were meant to fly, you'd have wings.
8. It's better to wear them now in your car, than later in a wheel chair.
7. When you pass a patrol car, you won't have to become a contortionist to find your seat belt.
6. While Kentucky roads are great, they're not so great for your complexion.
5. Crash dummies, Vince and Larry, have been through enough.
4. It's one belt that matches every outfit and never goes out of style.
3. You don't want to be the first at the scene of a crash.
2. It's easier to keep friends if you're still alive.
1. Your mother told you to!!

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You Ought to Know...

- Your chance of death or serious injury in a crash doubles for every 10 mph over 50 mph your vehicle travels.
- The safest way to transport any child is buckled up in the back seat of a car.
- Air bags, combined with use of lap and shoulder safety belts, offer the most effective safety protection available today for passengers.
- Before going anywhere—even if it's only a few blocks—Buckle Up!
- You should always make sure your passengers Buckle Up!
- You should wear your seat belt low and snug over your hips.
- The shoulder belt should lie across your chest and over your shoulder. If it cuts across your neck, try sliding toward the buckle.
- You should never place the belt under your arm or behind your back. This could cause serious injury or death in a crash.

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